



## NOTICE OF BOARD & COMMISSION APPOINTMENT LIST

In compliance with the requirements of the Maddy Act, Government Code §54972, the following is a list of the City of Glendale Board and Commission members. The following appointment list is posted on or before December 31<sup>st</sup> of each year.

Please note: The names on this list are subject to change based on resignation or other unexpected vacancies.

### ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION:

Commission/Board Member	Initial Appointment Date	Term Expiration Date
Arlene Vidor	July 2017	March 2021
Caroline Tufenkian	March 2019	March 2023
Ara Oshagan	December 2014	March 2019
Sevana Zadorian	July 2018	March 2022
<b>Vacant</b>	-	-

The Arts & Culture Commission shall plan and provide regular reports to the Council for the arts in Glendale; facilitate interaction among artists; promote art activities and education; recognize achievement in the arts; serve as an advisory group on the arts to the Council and City boards and commissions, and advise the Council on the need for inclusion of, and the role of arts in economic development. In addition, the Commission offers support and assistance to existing organizations involved in the arts and/or culture in Glendale, reinforces the City's identity and civic pride through arts and culture; recognizes the importance of the arts in the City's quality of life, and perform other duties as may be imposed upon it by the City Council.

### AUDIT COMMITTEE:

Commission/Board Member	Initial Appointment	Term Expires
Zareh Amirian	June 2015	March 2017
Vahik Satoorian	December 2018	March 2022
Edmund Khashadourian	July 2015	March 2019
Thomas Patrick O'Shaughnessy	September 2015	March 2019
Alejandro Parajon	July 2015	March 2021

The primary function of the audit committee is to review the financial information which will be provided to various parties, the system of internal controls and provide independent recommendation to the city council regarding the scope, areas of audit and priority.

**Building and Fire Board of Appeals:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Erik Keshishian	February 2015	March 2015
John Asbed Tatouljian	November 2011	March 2017
Ara Aharonian	July 2017	March 2021
Steven Lee	October 2015	March 2019
Zaven Hanessian	July 2017	March 2021

The members of the Building & Fire Board of Appeals hear and decide the appeals of orders, decisions or determinations made by the Building Official, the Fire Marshal or both, relative to the application and interpretation of the Glendale Building & Safety Code.

**Civil Service Commission:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Arthur Devine	November 2011	January 2020
Garo Ghazarian	November 2011	February 2020
Albert Abkarian	August 2015	August 2019
Sam Manoukian	November 2007	August 2018
Mark MacCarley	July 2017	July 2021

The Civil Service Commission establishes the rules and policies under which Glendale's merit system operates, insuring continuation of Glendale's reputation as a city whose employees attain and keep their positions on the basis of ability, training and experience, rather than political patronage. It also serves as a quasi-judicial body in hearing employee appeals against disciplinary actions such as suspension, reduction or removal.

**Commission on the Status of Women:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Lynda Burns	July 2013	March 2021
Armine Perian	July 2015	March 2019
Susan Broussalian	July 2018	March 2022
Llin Magran	May 2016	March 2019
Elena Semerdjian	July 2017	March 2021

The Commission on the Status of Women shall assess and evaluate the needs and issues of women in the City in order to inform and advise the City Council, City departments and sections, and other community agencies and organizations of those needs and issues; recommend programs or legislation to the City Council to promote and ensure equal rights and opportunities to and for women in the City; to promote education on issues regarding matters involving the needs of women and to prepare and disseminate such information; provide outreach information and education that empowers women to achieve self-sufficiency and self-esteem; maintain an active liaison with groups, organizations, agencies and individuals in regard to issues related to



women; perform other duties as may be imposed upon the Commission by the City Council by ordinance or resolution.

**Community Development Block Grant Advisory Committee:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Zanku Armenian	June 2013	March 2021
Noraier Ghazarian	July 2017	March 2021
Armik Avedisian	July 2015	March 2019
Lila Ramirez	July 2013	March 2019
Ronnie Gharibian	August 2017	March 2021

Each year the City receives approximately \$3,400,000 in federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds from the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Funds are to be used to provide services to low-income persons and to revitalize low-income neighborhoods. Each year the City develops a plan for the expenditure of these funds and is required to involve citizens in the development and decision making process of the annual funding plan. To achieve this mandate the City Council appoints the CDBG Advisory Committee.

**Design Review Board:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Arineh Arzoumanian	August 2017	March 2021
Sevan Benlian	February 2008	March 2019
Izabela Boyajyan	February 2019	March 2021
Art Simonian	February 2008	March 2017
<b>Vacant</b>	-	-

The Design Review Board reviews building plans concerning site plan and design issues prior to issuance of building permits for projects larger than those which have statutory exemption.

**Glendale Water and Power Commission:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Sarojini Lall	June 2015	March 2019
Andy Carrasco	September 2018	March 2022
Daniel B. Watson	February 2019	March 2021
Roland Kedikian	July 2017	March 2021
Hrand Avanesian	July 2015	March 2019

Acting in an advisory manner, the GWP Commission is charged with the responsibility of recommending to the City Council changes or improvements in the City's water and electric system, together with recommendation as to means of financing such improvements. The Commission also recommends any changes in operational policies which deems advisable and hears water conservation appeals.

**Historic Preservation Commission:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Chris Cragnotti	March 2016	March 2021
Michael Morgan	November 2009	March 2019
Desiree Sheir	October 2009	March 2019
Lorna Vartanian	June 2013	March 2017
Nicholas Doom	July 2017	March 2021

The Historic Preservation Commission to the City Council after holding hearings concerning administrative alterations to historic resources, inclusion of property under historic preservation protection and other issues.

**Parks, Recreation & Community Services Commission:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Susan Wolfson	July 2017	March 2021
Ara Kalfayan	June 2013	March 2021
Elen Asatryan	July 2015	March 2019
Grant Michals	July 2015	March 2019
Dveen Babaian	September 2018	March 2022

Responsible for the overall program of parks, playgrounds and recreational activities, the Commission performs its duties as an advisory body to the City Council and Community Services & Parks Department, recommending courses of action that insure continuation of Glendale's high caliber parks and recreational programs.

**Planning Commission:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Greg Astorian	May 2011	March 2019
Edik Minassian	May 2019	March 2022
Chang Lee	August 2008	March 2019
Stefan Chraghchian	July 2018	March 2022
Talin Shahbazian	February 2016	March 2017

Charged with the duty of planning for Glendale's long-range growth and development, the Planning Commission is responsible for review and recommendation to City Council on general and master plans and approval of major land subdivision plans. The Commission also considers and determines issues of condominium approvals, minor land divisions, and approvals for Special Recreation Zone issues.



**Transportation and Parking Commission:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Henrik Nazarian	February 2019	March 2021
Armando Gonzalez	July 2013	March 2019
Ara Kurkjian	June 2013	March 2017
Maro Yacoubian	November 2009	March 2021
Aram Sahakian	February 2018	March 2019

As the Council's advisor in matters relating to roadways, public parking, public transportation, vehicles for hire, transportation demand management, and transportation system management, the Commission has the duty of making recommendations concerning transportation policy and the ways and means of providing and financing transportation and parking improvements and programs.

**Vector Control District:**

<b>Commission/Board Member</b>	<b>Initial Appointment</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Jerry Walton	April 2016	December 2019

The District's governing power is vested in its 36 members of the Board of Trustees. One trustee is appointed by each of the 35 cities and the County Board of Supervisors appoints one to represent unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County. To be appointed, the member must reside in and be a resident voter of the representative city (or county for county member) in the District. Board member duties and responsibilities include setting policy, establishing the budget, approving expenditures, and retaining legal counsel.

/s/ Ardy Kassakhian, MPPA, CMC  
City Clerk

May 24, 2019